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INGALLS AT OLATHE.

The Senator Makes a Powerful Speech There.

HIS POSITION ON SILVER DEFINED.

Tells the Democrats to Vote for David Overmyer—Gives Government Exactly What the People Make It.

Senator John J. Ingalls spoke to 7,000 people at Olathe Saturday afternoon. He said on the silver question:

"I want to say that I am a bimetalist, pure and simple, in favor of the free coinage of American silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and I believe that the Republican party stands on that platform; and I go further and say that I believe that a great portion of the industrial difficulties that surround us, the depression of value, the loss of credit, the stagnation of business, is due to the destruction of the money purchasing power, and business will never be restored until silver is replaced in the full exercise of its functions as one of the money metals of the American people."

"The question of female suffrage is one of the issues before the people of the state in the approaching campaign. It has not been made a party question, and it ought not to be made a party question. I have no doubt but that the participation of active and intelligent women in public affairs would be of distinct advantage to us, but I don't think it would be any advantage to the woman and I told Susan B. Anthony not a great while ago, one of the best, as she is one of the purest and noblest representatives of American woman, that I believed that in the final outcome the great obstacle to the reform that she advocated would be found not in the hostility of men, but in the indifference of women."

"All I have to say is, whenever I am convinced that the women of this state want to vote, I shall be an advocate of female suffrage, and that is good doctrine for any man to stand on. There is some rank heresy crowded into party politics in these latter days, based upon a fundamental misapprehension of the functions of government in this country."

"There is no authority in this country except that of a majority of the people. That is all. This talk about the government taking possession of the railroads and telegraphs and telephones and other agencies and societies is based upon an entire misapprehension of the functions of government in this country."

"Mr. Grover Cleveland has no right to take possession of the railroads, nor has Jerry Simpson, nor has my successor in the senate. They have no functions except that a majority of the people confer upon them to represent them as their agents and their ministers. It is a heresy, it is a fallacy, it is a sophistry that there is any power in this country other than that which rests right here among the great masses of the body of the people. What is the wealth of the country that we hear so much about except the aggregate individual possessions of the citizens of the United States? We hear a great deal of talk about utilizing the credit of the United States. When you issue bonds, what is the credit

of the United States except the credit of the individual inhabitants added together?"

"I am not here to defend railroads; I am here to say that I believe railroads managers will take everything that they can get, and I have seen a great deal of railroad managers in this state and nation within the last twenty years, that made my blood boil with indignation. They need restraint. They need control. They need feel the weight of the law, like everybody else; but when it comes to taking possession of the railroads by the government of the United States, I would like to know how the money to buy them is to be obtained, and how it is to be paid. There are two ways in which the people of the United States can take possession of the railroads of the United States. They can steal them or they can buy them. They cost about \$10,000,000,000 in round numbers, with the water squeezed out of it. We have been since 1865 paying the half of \$2,000,000,000, and I would like some arithmetician, some lightning calculator, among the leaders of the Populist party, to tell me how long it would take to pay for the railroads, giving them their actual cost. What has been our experience in paying the national debt since 1865? The administration of the postoffice is frequently referred to by our Populist friends as a reason why government administration of railroads would be equally efficient."

"What does the government do about the postoffice system of this country? It appoints a large force of highly paid officers in Washington and elsewhere, who gather together the mails of the country and have them put in bags for transmission, and for what? Then they are turned over to the very hands of these very agencies that our Populist friends denounce, the railroads, the steamboats, the corporations of the country. The government transports letters from New York to San Francisco for 2c. If the country would turn over the mail system to a private administration my letter, that does not weigh over half an ounce, could be carried by private corporations from New York to San Francisco for 1c instead of 2c."

"If you put your letter into one of your Uncle Samuel's letter-bags today, register it, if you please, put it into one of those variegated barber pole envelopes, that tells the thief where to look for it; put it into one of those bags in the custody of one of your Uncle Sam's agents, and that man steals it, and is proven to have stolen it, and has spent all the money there was in it, and you bring that to the attention of the government and ask them to pay you for it and they laugh at you."

"There are more than 25,000 cases of proved depredations in the St. Louis office today, where the officials of the government have been proven to have stolen money, and the government refuses to make restitution. If you put that into the hands of a private carrier, an express company, and they agree to transport it from New York to San Francisco, they would have to do it, or they would have to pay for it."

"Speaking of state politics Ingalls said: 'We have had drought, we have had hot winds, we have had inundations, we have had grasshoppers, we have had locusts, but I want to say to you that if all the droughts we have had in this state were condensed into one drought; if

all the floods and inundations that have ever visited this state were condensed into one deluge as monstrous as that of Noah's time; if every grasshopper and locust we have had were to be concentrated and consolidated into one great animal of destruction, all these would not have compared in injury and loss and detriment to what this state has suffered in the public estimation, in the price value of its politics since 1890. And I want it distinctly understood that I am not speaking the language of resentment, although myself one of the poor victims of that great revolution, and a very scientific campaign, too.'"

"It was Democratic votes that put Lewelling in the statehouse; it was Democratic votes that put Dr. Plicher at Winfield; it was Democratic votes that sent John Martin to the United States senate, to which he never was elected. 'To overthrow the Republicans the Democratic party voted for candidates they detested, standing upon a platform that they despised and repudiated, and I want to say to you that in many parts of this state they are doing exactly the same thing today, and if they can control the legislature of the state and send a Democrat or an opposition member to the senate of the United States they will do it if it is within the range of possibility, and therefore, I do not fully coincide and concur with those who declare this is purely a state campaign.'"

"It is far more than that. It has great national aspects. The vote of the senate of the United States may depend upon a man sent from Kansas. The delegation in the house from this state may determine the complexion of the house of representatives, and it may determine who shall be the next president of the United States, in case there should be no election by the people, and I want to admonish the Republicans of Johnson county not to forget in their ambition and desire to regain this state that this is a national campaign, and that it is important that the congressional complexion should be Republican and that the legislature should be Republican; and I want to say to our Democratic friends, if any of them are fatigued with the results of their experiment the best thing they can do is to vote for David Overmyer like a man."

"In my judgment, one of the great causes of the errors and heresies into which the American people have fallen, one great occasion of the difficulties under which Kansas has labored in the past four years, has been from the inattention of the people to the discharge of their difficult duties and obligations. We hear a great deal in these latter times about the bad government in this country, that this is a government of the plutocrats, that it is a government of classes, in which Republican legislation has been enacted for the benefit of one class, and for the oppression of other classes. I want to say that the people of this country have exactly as good government as they deserve to have."

"The government of this country is exactly what the people of this country see fit to make it. I have heard the senate of the United States described as a syndicate of millionaires, as a bankers' club, and I want to say that if there be in that body a dull, vacant and degraded millionaire, with not intelligence enough to vote audibly when he is called on the ayes and nays

first, he is there because some constituency sent him there, because there is no man, whether he have the millions of Vanderbilt multiplied by those of Astor many times, who can break into the senate of the United States by his millions and obtain a certificate unless some constituency sends him there."

"We hear a great deal about hoodlums in municipal government, about sugar senators, about men who, like Judas, betrayed their masters with a kiss and sold out the sacred cause of liberty for thirty pieces of silver; they got there because some delinquent community sent them there. If you have a freak in the house of representatives that would be a disgrace to a political dime museum, he goes there because freaks send him there, and if there be a man who sells out his vote for shares in the Sugar Trust, he is there because the men who ought to have been attentive to their duties at the primaries, at the nominating conventions and at the polls failed to perform their duty, because there are more good men, there are more upright men, there are more patriotic men, there are more intelligent men in every community in this country than there are the reverse. If there are not, then self-government is a failure, and this government had better be thrown into liquidation and have a receiver appointed and close its concerns."

CURTIS MAY MEET SCOTT.
A Joint Debate Being Arranged Between the Two at Maple Hill.

The Republicans and Populists up at Maple Hill are taking an active interest in the congressional fight in this district and have circulated a petition which is being signed by the voters of both parties asking for a joint debate between the two candidates.

The petition which is being circulated is as follows: "The undersigned voters of Maple Hill, Kansas, of both Republican and Populist parties respectfully request of Hon. Chas. Curtis, M. C., from this district, and S. M. Scott candidate for congress for this district, that they have a joint discussion of the political issues of the day, to take place in Maple Hill in front of the Windler hotel on any day in October, in the afternoon, except between the 10th and 20th days of said month, date and division of time, to be adjusted by the congressional committees of the Republican and Peoples' party."

STAVING OFF FORECLOSURES.
Judge Bashore Refuses to Hold Court in His District.

Judge Bashore draws eight dollars a day just the same whether he holds court or not. He did nothing at all during July and August and proposes to do the same during September and October. The reason that Judge Bashore refuses to hold court is said by lawyers in this city to be because he does not wish to allow foreclosure proceedings on farm mortgages to be carried on in his court. Great numbers of foreclosure proceedings are now "hung up" in his district because Judge Bashore will not try them.

MR. WAKE NOT A POPULIST.
An Abilene Paper Has Him Over in the People's Party Fold.

Rev. R. Wake, a well known Methodist minister of Topeka, has seen the light,

been redeemed, and says he can no longer affiliate with the Republican party. Mr. Wake has taken up the cause of the people and is doing valiant work for the People's party. We welcome him into the party, and long for the time to come when the ministers will give as a little more practical and not so much theoretical preaching.—Abilene Dispatch.

Mr. Wake hasn't gone that far yet. He is a Third Party Prohibitionist, not a Populist. If the members of his church pester him much more, however, there's no telling where he may land.

TO STRAIGHTEN OUT THE KINKS.
That, Says Harper, is Why Railroads Go Into Hands of Receivers.

Jesse Harper who is now speaking for the Populists in Kansas is eccentric, and his quaintness of expression will hold the attention of his hearers though they may not agree with him.

"All this talk about the railroads makes me tired," said he. "Do you know that five-eighths of the railroads are in the hands of the government now. The thieves found they could not run them any longer and then they turned them over to the government to straighten out the kinks and when they are fixed up they ask the government to hand them over and let the fellows try it again."

POLITICAL NOTES.
Since Mrs. Lease's health began to improve she has been "laying on" flesh.

She now weighs 149 pounds.

Albert Griffin estimates that 60 per cent of the Republicans will vote for woman suffrage.

Judge A. H. Ellis, the Republican candidate for congress in the Sixth district, has filed his nomination certificate with his secretary of state.

On his way to Kingman last Saturday Governor Lewelling asked the conductor if a Santa Fe pass was good on the Wichita & Western, says the Kingman Courier.

It is published at Ft. Scott that City Marshal Ham has been assessed \$30 by the Populist state central committee, and each Populist \$14.

Col. H. W. Lewis of Wichita is at the head of a league of prohibition voters numbering 1200 in that city. They are mostly Republicans, and will vote for none but prohibitionists. They have endorsed the Populist candidate for county attorney, A. E. Heim.

Congressman Harris told the people of Lawrence that they ought to take possession of the Carbonate railroad, which isn't running, and run it themselves. Congressman Heffris' favorite plank in the Populist platform is government ownership of railroads.

T. L. Bond, of Salina, who recently joined the Populists, once wrote a book of campaign songs in which he ridiculed Lewelling and other reformers. A Republican gleec club at Salina now makes life unpleasant for Bond by singing those old lays under his window.

Is Your Hair Dry and Brittle, Falling Out or Turning Gray?

These are only indications that the follicles or roots of the hair are getting weakened or diseased. Beggs' Hair Renewer will strengthen and invigorate the follicles and the hair will regain its natural color and become soft, glossy and healthy. Sold by W. R. Kennedy.

Webb & Harris, druggists, Bennett's Plaza.

Capital Grocery.

Popular Low Price Grocery.

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The story of our growth and constant expansion is our greatest advertisement. It shows us no merit in our goods we'd never have grown as we have during the past two years. We make prices based on our heavy purchases—retailing at wholesale rates—giving a saving to you of all the wholesale's profit, and that is no small item, as you'll discover if you give us a trial order.

White loaf flour, 100 lbs., \$1.50.
Big Four flour, 100 lbs., \$1.50.
Crosby's best flour, 100 lbs., \$1.50.
The best flour in the world, 100 lbs., \$1.50.
Dr. Price's Baking Powder, 1-lb. can, 50c.
Dr. Price's Vanilla extract, per bottle, 15c.
Dr. Price's Lemon extract, per bottle, 15c.
100 boxes Laundry Soap—10 bars, 25c.
4 bottles Pickles, 25c.
2 bottles Catsup, 15c.
4 bottles Mustard, 25c.
Pickles in vinegar, 25c.
Cider Vinegar, 30c. 5 gals., 75c.
Russian Coriander, 1 lb., 50c.
4 cans ham or tongue, 25c.
Canned beef, 2c. 3 roast beef, 25c.
Olives, 15c. Olive oil, 15c. per bottle.
Coke Oysters, 1-lb. can, 1 for 25c.
Coke Oysters, 2-lb. can, 1 for 25c.
Oil sardines, 6 for 25c.
French Peas, 7 cans 25c.
Mustard, 15c. per can.
7 boxes matches, 10c.
10 boxes carter's lard, 10c.
1 lb. chewing gum, 10c.
6 lbs. navy beans, 50c. \$2.15 bushel.
6 lbs. Lima beans, 25c.
1 lb. package coconut, 25c.
1 lb. cream baking powder, 10c.
1 package baking soda, 25c.
1 lb. smoking tobacco, 1 lb. sack, 12c.
Box 50 cigars, 75c.
Cayenne pepper, 25c.
Cream tartar, 25c.
Mustard seed, 25c.
Best country butter, 22c.
Fresh country eggs, 11c.
Best potatoes, per bushel, 50c.
10 lb. pail best lard, \$1.
5 lb. pail best lard, 50c.
5 lb. pail best lard, 50c.
20 lb. pail best lard, \$1.25.
50 lb. pail best lard, \$1.25.
Sugar cured hams, 125c.
Dried salt meat, 9c.
California hams, 65c.
20 lb. box soda crackers, 95c.
Ginger snaps, 45c. lb.
100 lbs. Chase & Sanborn's coffee, 4 lbs. \$1.
8 lbs. ground coffee, \$1.
4 lbs. Japan tea, \$1.
4 lbs. Gunpowder, \$1.
5 cans California best peaches, 50c.
2 cans California best pears, 50c.
5 cans California best plums, 50c.
5 cans California best apricots, 50c.
We pack and deliver to depot small or large orders.

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A Daily Paper for Sale.
WELLINGTON, Sept. 17.—Lyman Naugle publishes the following at the head of the editorial page of the Wellington Daily Mail: "By a series of accidental circumstances I have become owner of the Daily Mail. Its publication will be continued as at present, with Mr. A. P. Bohanna as editor, observing neutrality in politics. The Mail is for sale to any one who cares to embark in journalism. I have no time or inclination to pursue its publication."